

**Monthly Meeting Minutes**  
**June 6, 2024**

The Monthly Meeting was called to order by Vice President Glenn Yanos at 7:35 pm.

The membership stood together to salute the flag and recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

The names of deceased members were read:

- Jacob Otthofer, Jr., Former member and singer in the Hobby Chor. He served in the Navy during WWII
- Robert Loreman, former (corrected 6.14.24) club member and father of Chorus member, Jennifer Weber. He was a US Army veteran.
- Glenn asked for a moment to recognize those lost on D Day 80 years ago.

Roll call of officers was taken. All were present except Renate McElheny and Mike Reitmeyer. They were excused.

Attendance was taken and there were approximately 92 members/prospective members present.

The next Order of Business was the reading of the minutes from the previous monthly meeting. As per *Robert's Rules*, the minutes of the previous Monthly Meeting have been posted in the barroom and on our website. No corrections to the minutes were proposed and no one opposed, so the minutes were approved as posted.

Members to be voted on at next meeting:

Name	Sponsor	Date Rec'd
Carolyn Dieck	Jeff Alexander, Chris Deascenti	10-Apr-24
Mahlon Stanley King	Matt Rodak, Emily Rodak	15-Apr-24
Susan H. King	Matt Rodak, Emily Rodak	15-Apr-24
Elise A. Grignon	Michael Reitmeyer, Mary Ellen Reitmeyer	17-Apr-24
Brian J. Grignon	Michael Reitmeyer, Mary Ellen Reitmeyer	17-Apr-24
Dennis P. Gleissl	Brian Gish, Rodney Ebersole	9-May-24
Ashley S. Bagwell	Brian Gish, Rodney Ebersole	9-May-24
Alyssa K. Ray	Michelle Becker, Eugene Barton	22-Apr-24
Colin M. McKinsey	Michelle Becker, Eugene Barton	22-Apr-24
Steven P. Richards	Dave Ressler, Jeff Chambers	26-Apr-24
Ivy M. McComsey	Jill Almoney	24-Apr-24

James Trout	Matt Trout, Kate Trout	26-Apr-24
Michael S. Thompson	Horst Bernard, Ronald Kurek	30-Apr-24
Michael D. Welcome	Mary R. Earnest	2-May-24
Kellie E. Bresz	Dan Haldeman, Ellie Haldeman	7-May-24
Ben P. Ewing	Dan Haldeman, Ellie Haldeman	7-May-24
Stephen M. Pitts	Gregory Marko, Donald J. Kaercher	9-May-24
Marisa I. Pitts	Gregory Marko, Donald J. Kaercher	9-May-24
Alvin C. Harding	Randy A. Karshin, John H. Northup	9-May-24
Jared R. Fetterman	Trevor Ellsworth, Harlie Ellsworth	9-May-24
Brynn N. Fetterman	Trevor Ellsworth, Harlie Ellsworth	9-May-24
Brett C. Reinert	Doug Reinert, Glenn Yanos	9-May-24
Ty J. Reinert	Doug Reinert, Glenn Yanos	9-May-24

We then voted on the following new candidates for membership:

Jennifer Gerber, Dan Gerber, Phyllis Diller, Don Diller, Cindy Painter, Laura McShane, Patrick Phelan, Toni Phelan, Melissa Mason, Bryce Remsburg, Justin Weaver, Mark McGowan, Susie Kreider, Michael Blantz

John Stanavage greeted the new members.

**Treasurer's Report:** Art Arnold gave the report. The report is available for viewing at the Club bulletin board,

**Entertainment Report:**

- 6/7 and 8 Sommerfest
- 6/27 Abend in the Pavilion – Kracker Beez
- Darts – 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays
- Trivia – 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday – Crock Pot Tuesday
- July 4 – 144<sup>th</sup> anniversary: open 11-2:00

**Trustee Report:** Bill Keays gave his last Trustee report.

Completed projects: repainting orange fest tables (400 volunteer hours). Thank you to John Freidhof for heading up this project.

Parking during the Fests: parking on the creek is for Fest Committee members only; if you are volunteering or performing, please make sure you allow enough time to get parked.

Plants and plantings: thanks to Stella, \_\_\_ and \_\_\_

Thanks to Mike Rieitmeyer and Bunky Perko for their service. They will continue to serve Honberger Pool property – the building and the land are going up for auction on July 16. Bill is holding a meeting on Tuesday, June 11 at 7:00 pm for anyone interested in being part of determining what our role will be with this transition.

**Chorus:** Linda Husler gave the report. They will be singing at our upcoming Sommerfest. They will then take a break until September. Linda encouraged new members to check out the Chorus. Come out to join them if you have a love of music and German culture. Contact Linda Husler if you are interested in joining.

**Schuhplattlers and Kindergruppe:** Debbie Shaeffer gave the report since Paul and Barbi are with Grace in Germany. Grace will be competing Kindergruppe enjoyed their Kinderfest in early June. Look for them at Sommerfest. Don't forget your change to throw out for the kinder after they perform. Adult practice – every Monday at 7:30 in the ballroom. Kinder practice – 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays at 6:30.

**Hobby Chor:** Tim H. gave the report. They are also preparing for Sommerfest Tim announced their leadership for the upcoming year. They are a men's singing organization in their 45<sup>th</sup> year that strives to perpetuate German culture. They rehearse every Thursday in the choir room upstairs. It is a great way to meet other members and learn the German language. Reminder: they rehearse in the ballroom on the third Thursday of each month to encourage more participation. Look for patriot tunes at the end of the meeting.

**Alleweil Jung:** Carolyn Santos gave the report. They will be performing at Sommerfest doing folk and participation dances. They are a casual folk-dance group that likes to have fun. They post their practice schedule at the top of the stairs to the Rathskeller (typically 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays). Please join them. They are sponsoring a bus trip to Maryland – Augustoberfest. Carolyn handed out flyers for more information.

**Committee Reports:**

**Grant Fund/Scholarship Fund:** none

**Miss LLK Committee:** Paxton Drumheller gave the report. She announced that Autumn Zodet is our new Miss Lancaster Liederkrantz. She has a long resume of history and participation at the club. Autumn thanked everyone for their support. She will be selling cornflowers to help fund her trips during her upcoming year as Miss Lancaster Liederkrantz.

**Correspondence:** none

**Club Historian report:** none

**New Business:**

On Renate's, Glenn thanked all volunteers for the last year.

He thanked Renate McElheny, Art Arnold, Gary Kirchner, Bunky Perko and Mike Reitmeyer for their service as members of the club leadership team.

Stacy McElheny gave Renate's outgoing remarks on her behalf to a standing ovation.

At this point, on Renate's behalf, Glenn dissolved all committees except the Fest Committee.

**Installation of Officers & Trustees:**

As a result of elections in May, the following people took office during this meeting:

**President – Glenn Yanos**

**Vice President – Bill Keays**

**Recording Secretary - Mary Munster**

**Treasurer – Virginia Smith**

**Financial Secretary – Joan Braun**

**Chorus President - Linda Husler**

**Allweil Jung Representative – Charlie Gross**

**Trustees: Chad Hutchinson** (serving second year of 2), **Rodney Ebersole** (first year of 2), **Barry Waltz**, **Mike Eyster**, **Anne Jamison**, **Dave Kemmick**, **John Stanavage**

**For the Good of the Club:**

**Art Arnold:** CBS TV 21 will be at Sommerfest Friday evening. Miss Lancaster Liederkrantz will represent us in addition to other members who are available.

There was no 50/50 drawing.

Hobby Chor led us in song.

Mike Braun motioned to adjourn the meeting and it was seconded by Rodney Ebersole. The meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:51 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Mary Munster  
Recording Secretary